

## TO PROTECT PACIFIC

Fleets May Stay There After Canal Opens, Meyer Says.

## FOR HARMONY IN PARTY

Warns Republicans They Must Sink Their Differences.

## NEW YORK DINNER LOVE FEAST

Foes in Last Campaign Fraternize.

Col. Roosevelt Advocates Taft's Policies.



SECRETARY MEYER.

NEW YORK, February 14.—For the first time since the fight at the convention at Saratoga last September, all factions of the republican party in New York state gathered last night in harmony. The occasion was the twenty-fifth annual dinner of the Republican Club of New York city in commemoration of the 102d anniversary of the birth of Abraham Lincoln.

William Barnes Jr., newly elected chairman of the republican state committee, who led the fight against Col. Roosevelt at Saratoga, was seated at the right of the former President and entered into an animated conversation with him several times during the dinner. Seth Low, president of the club, presided. He had on his list as speakers Col. Roosevelt, Rev. Dr. Frank W. Gunsaulus, president of the Armour Institute at Chicago, who delivered the Lincoln oration; Judge Emory Speer of the United States circuit court of Georgia, and George von L. Meyer, Secretary of the Navy.

Secretary Meyer, representing President Taft, warned republicans of this state and of the country to sink their differences and get together if they want to prevent democratic victory in 1912.

To the right and left of the Secretary were republicans who did not pull together in the campaign just past, and when Mr. Meyer got going in an exceedingly frank talk they picked up their hats. Whether or not the assumption was warranted, the banqueters received Mr. Meyer's advice as a straight tip from the President.

**Speaks With Authority.**  
In fact, the Secretary practically said that he was speaking with large authority. Following that intimation, he told them that the party would have to have a platform on which every one could stand and that the President was trying his best to provide, in reciprocity with Canada, a plank that would be of immense value.

Secretary Meyer, in the course of his speech, made the flat statement that it is the intention of the government to develop Pearl Harbor, San Francisco bay and Puget sound, in order that, after the Panama canal has been completed, the entire fleet may be maintained on the Pacific coast. The Secretary did not amplify the statement, which had keenly interested the hundreds of men present, but passed quickly to other topics.

The Secretary said it would be bad business to rebuild or reconstruct worn-out ships.

The fleet, if kept up to date, and with the proper military efficiency, is an insurance against war, said he, and as long as our fleet is efficient and of sufficient size we can be sure that we will not have war.

He said he wished to see the bureau of equipment abolished. The administration of the fleet and of navy yards, he added, has improved, and great efficiency has resulted with more economical administration.

## Discusses Eight-Hour Law.

Of the eight-hour limitation the Secretary said:  
"At the present time Congress is in the midst of a discussion as to the method under which ships should be built—whether they should be confined to an eight-hour limitation of labor, not only in the government yards, where eight-hour labor is the rule now, but also in private yards. It would be detrimental to the resources of the country if the private yards. It would be a detriment eight-hour basis just at the moment when our shipyards are successfully competing with the shipyards of other nations of the great maritime nations. We know that if the vessels on the building program recommended by the President are to be built in the government navy yards it would cost about \$23,750,000, whereas if built under private conditions, it would cost about \$18,000,000. The difference is a saving of about \$5,750,000."

Judge Speer, in his address, declared that the United States has no choice in deciding whether the Panama canal shall be fortified. The canal must be fortified, and heavily fortified at that, if this country is to preserve its neutrality of this gateway to the western ocean. It is bound by treaty with

Great Britain to preserve its neutrality, and cannot do so with lockkeepers and civil officers in the Panama zone.

## Roosevelt for Reciprocity.

Ex-President Roosevelt, in his speech, found an opportunity to come out strongly for reciprocity with Canada. Then he argued for the election of senators by popular vote.

"It is a genuine progressive principle," he said, "but to take away the national control over election of senators is retrogressive. I am for the principle which a retrogressive principle is tagged a progressive one."

Twice during the evening the policies of President Taft were applauded. They were reciprocity with Canada and the canal fortification plans. Mr. Roosevelt said he was delighted to see the club uphold the plans of the President in these laudable efforts.

"I hail the reciprocity arrangement," he said, "because it represents an effort to bring about a closer and more intimate and a more friendly relationship of our two nations on equal terms between Canada and the United States."

Mr. Meyer had referred to the voyage of the battle fleet around the world. This, too, delighted Mr. Roosevelt. The voyage of the fleet around the Panama canal, he said, were the two things that had most vividly impressed Europe during the last ten years.

## Favors Fortifying Canal.

As to the fortifications of the canal, Mr. Roosevelt urged vigorously that it would be folly not to fortify. Mr. Roosevelt said he was in favor of a public statement while he was governor in opposition to the treaty as drawn up in 1909 because it invited other powers to join with the United States in guaranteeing the neutrality of the canal.

"I became President just prior to the signing of the second treaty, under which we are now acting," Mr. Roosevelt said, "and Mr. Hay came to me almost as soon as I had reached Washington. He showed me the treaty and the British representatives, Lord Lansdowne and Sir Julian Pauncefote, explicitly recognizing our right to fortify."

Later Mr. Roosevelt said he received Sir Julian Pauncefote and told him how glad he was to understand that he was in perfect agreement with the explicit understanding of the right to fortify. "He said," Mr. Roosevelt said, "that he understood it perfectly and have explicitly stated that the treaty in no way debar the United States from fortifying the canal if she so desires."

## STAR WANT AD JINGLES

## SHOW ENDLESS VARIETY

Domestic Comedies and Tragedies Are Pictured in Many of Them.

Domestic comedies and tragedies are pictured in the large collection of Star Want Ad jingles that came to the jingle editor's desk today. Many of the letters contain long poems. The jingle editor would like to have it known that the jingle is remarkable for its brevity and not its length.

But, returning to the domestic tragedies and comedies, what a picture is presented by this little verse:

"I knew a friend who was out of a job All he had was a gold watch fob; He said, 'I'll pawn it in that shop. But a friend near by who was a cop, Walked up and said, 'My lad, Look in The Star, there are plenty of ads.'"

And now he feeds his wife and kid. Another near-tragedy was averted by a Star Want Ad, as the rhyme of Mrs. E. M. Oberly, 117 E. Street southeast, will show.

"Annie Rooney's widowed mother She got lost somehow or other, Annie insured her, want Ad, She found her mother, she said, 'Ad.'"

**Troubles of Dingbats.**  
Here's a suggestion for the relief of a common, daily domestic tragedy. It comes from F. Hurd, 1409 Montello avenue northeast:

"The troubles of the Dingbats with that family upstairs Would soon cease to be if that thought we'd try. We'll try for a quiet flat through a Star want ad."

The result, I am sure, would not be bad. Here again is a picture of domestic bliss that is scarcely to be equaled:

"The Newlyweds wanted to rent a country home, Where through the meadow they could roam. 'Insert an ad in The Star,' said Bill, And now they are living in Hyattsville."

**A Complete Novel.**  
Here's a complete novel in four lines from Brightwood:

"Mary's mother willed her a piano, Mary won't play, she said, 'My piano. A Star want ad changed the will, \$500 cash' read the codicil."

A near-tragedy was averted by a Star want ad, according to Edward M. Smith, 1407 W. Street northwest:

"My dollars, numbering in the teens, Down to my yard slipped from my jeans. A Star want ad, in minutes three, Came long and brought them back to me."

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## GAS COMPANY ABANDONS COMMERCIAL PROJECT

Reported That Directors Heed Protests of the Dealers in Appliances.

Mr. McLean's Statement.

A director of the gas company, admitting that it is substantially correct to say that the gas company has abandoned, referred to John R. McLean, president of the gas company, for a statement of the situation.

McLean said: "There are no differences between the gas company and the dealers in gas appliances. The matter was presumably settled at the meeting of the directors of the gas company to induce the gas company to abandon its purpose to enter the field of the dealers represented by the gas company and the dealers in gas appliances. The gas company did not allow it to engage in selling and installing gas appliances. The matter was referred to the courts for test."

**All Officers Re-Elected.**  
John R. McLean, president, and all the officers of the company were re-elected. The other officers are: William B. Erme, secretary; Sanford N. Whitwell, assistant secretary; Lawrence Townsend, treasurer, and W. F. Hart, superintendent and purchasing agent.

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**Hope for Amicable Agreement.**  
It is hoped by the officials here that

## 75c and \$1 Linoleums, Black Arrow Sale Price, 34c

Not remnants or short lengths—but full rolls from which you are privileged to buy as much as you need.

Extra heavy grade, in a large variety of choice selected patterns.

Cook's Best Grade Cork-filled Printed Linoleums, in 8-quarter width. Sold regularly at 75c and \$1.00 square yard. Black Arrow Sale price, 34c a yard.

**10c Toilet Paper**  
The well known "White House" Brand Toilet Paper, each roll contains one thousand sheets of perforated paper. Regular price, 15c. Black Arrow Sale price, 10c. **5c**

**5c Laundry Soap**  
Swift & Company's Golden Oleine Laundry Soap, sold regularly at 2c a cake everywhere. Black Arrow Sale price, 5c. **2 1/2c**

**5c Crackers**  
Maryland Biscuit Co.'s regular 5c packages of Lunch Biscuit, Baby Snaps and Maryland Biscuit, offered to-morrow at TWO for 5c. **6c**

**10c Fish Flakes**  
Regular 10c Cans of Bunnham & Morrell's Fish Flakes—a delicious food for breakfast or luncheon. Black Arrow Sale price, 10c. **7c**

**10c Lima Beans**  
Regular 10c Cans of "Boston" Brand Spiced Lima Beans, selected quality. Black Arrow Sale price, 10c. **11c**

**69c Petticoats**  
Women's Petticoats, of good quality muslin, full length, finished with elastic tucks and embroidery; also with deep flounce, finished with hemstitched tucks and hem; extra deep ruffles. Worth 80c each. Black Arrow Sale price, 69c. **38c**

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**\$1.25 Linen Sheet**  
Regular \$1.25 Linen Sheet, 90 inches wide, warranted all pure linen; beautifully made for waists and suits. Note the width, 2 1/2 yards wide. Black Arrow Sale price, 75c. **75c**

**Buttercups**  
Fruit-flavored Buttercups, pure and fresh candy that will be enjoyed by children and grown-ups, for boys and girls. Black Arrow Sale price, 5c. **5c**

**25c Knit Waists**  
Children's "F. P." Knit Underwaists, in high neck style, all sizes, for boys and girls. Sold regularly at 25c. Black Arrow Sale price, 15c. **15c**

**50c Lisle Vests**  
Women's 50c Lisle Vests, low neck and sleeves; finished with handkerchief in neck and sleeves. Ots make. Black Arrow Sale price, 25c. **25c**

**39c English Poplin**  
Regular 39c English Poplin, imported wash fabric mercerized in the yarn. Warranted absolutely fast color. Black Arrow Sale price, 19c. **19c**

**65c Storm Serge**  
42-inch Storm Serge, in navy blue and black; superior, hard-twisted clay worsted finish quality. A favorite material for tailored suits and skirts. Regular 65c value. Black Arrow Sale price, 39c. **39c**

**Men's Suits**  
Odd sizes and styles of men's and young men's winter suits, consisting of worsteds and cassimeres, in neat, dark patterns; young men's sizes 36 to 42; men's sizes 34 to 38; worth \$10 and \$12.50. Black Arrow Sale price, \$4.85. **\$4.85**

**25c Belting**  
All-silk Belting in black, white and evening shades. Sold regularly at 25c a yard. Belt, length of three-quarters of a yard. **9c**

**75c & \$1 Silk Gloves**  
Women's All-silk Gloves, in 12 and 16 button length; the popular Mousquetaire; Black and white, 75c and 10 kinds. Black Arrow Sale price, 49c. **49c**

**Combination Garments**  
Women's Combination Garments of good quality muslin and nainsook. Short skirt and corset cover, also drawers and corset covers. Made with yokes of embroidery, lace insertions and ribbon beading. Skirts and drawers finished with ruffles. Regular 60c each. Black Arrow Sale price, 38c. **38c**

**15c Talcum**  
Bradley's Woodland Violet Talcum Powder, a high-grade delicately scented cream for toilet and nursery. Regular 15c each. Black Arrow Sale price, 9c. **9c**

**\$1.25 Crex Rugs**  
30x60 Crex Grass Rugs, fringed sides and tape edges; plain, bordered and striped centers; colors of green, red and blue; sanitary and very durable. Sold regularly at \$1.25 each. Black Arrow Sale price, 79c. **79c**

**\$1 & \$1.25 Umbrellas**  
Men's and women's umbrellas, covers of American rainproof taffeta and gloria; 24 and 26 inch sizes; large variety of attractive handles, including cane wood and fancy metal trimmed. Worth \$1.00 and \$1.25. Black Arrow Sale price, 65c. **65c**

**Tooth Powder**  
Dr. Lyon's Tooth Powder will be sold tomorrow as a Black Arrow Sale special at 12c. **12c**

**5c Silverware**  
Crown Silver Co.'s Silver-plated Table Knives and Forks; set of six each. Sold regularly at \$2. Black Arrow Sale price, 98c. **98c**

**19c & 25c Ribbons**  
All-silk Taffeta Ribbons, 1 1/2 inches wide; in a complete assortment of wanted shades. The most desirable for hair ribbons. 19c and 25c values. Black Arrow Sale price, 12 1/2c. **12 1/2c**

**5c Sheets**  
50x90 Bleached Sheets, large double-bed size. Hand torn and ironed. Made from heavy undressed cotton. Black Arrow Sale price, 33c. **33c**

**10c Cambric**  
30-inch Cambric, soft-finish quality; free from starch, suitable for making women's and children's underwear; worth 10c a yard. Black Arrow Sale price, 53c. **53c**

**\$2.00 Spreads**  
11-4 Double-bed Size Crochet Spreads, in heavy raised Mousquetaire patterns; worth \$2.00 each. Black Arrow Sale price, \$1.19. **\$1.19**

**8c Gingham**  
Standard Apron Gingham, in a large assortment of blue checks; fast colors; sold regularly at 8c yd. Black Arrow Sale price, 47c. **47c**

**10c Canton Flannel**  
27-inch Bleached Canton Flannel, a heavy, close-woven quality; sold regularly at 10c a yard. Black Arrow Sale price, 5c. **5c**

**12 1/2c Dress Gingham**  
27-inch Dress Gingham, in stripes, checks, plaids and plain colors of light and navy blue, cadet gray, and other colors. Sold regularly at 12 1/2c a yard. Black Arrow Sale price, 73c. **73c**

**Children's Sweaters**  
Children's Sweaters, in sizes from 1 to 5 years. Double and single breasted styles. Made with high and V-shaped necks. Finished with white pearl buttons. In red, white and navy blue. Values worth up to \$1.25. Black Arrow Sale price, 39c. **39c**

**Children's Drawers**  
Children's Drawers, of good quality muslin, with cluster tucks and ruffles. Others with cluster tucks and hemstitching. Sizes up to 10 years. Black Arrow Sale price, 7c. **7c**

**Women's Nightgowns**  
Women's Nightgowns, of good quality muslin, with high V and low necks, trimmed with tucks and embroidery. 15 inches wide. Choice of full length and width. Regular 60c values. Black Arrow Sale price, 39c. **39c**

**50c Silk Gloves**  
Women's 2-clasp Pure Silk Gloves, with double-tipped fingers. In black, white and desirable shades. Regular price, 50c pair. Black Arrow Sale price, 35c. **35c**

**Walking Skirts**  
Worth \$8, \$10 and \$12—Special lot of Women's Walking Skirts, of fine material, in a number of the newest styles, for spring. Made of fine material, plain tailored and richly trimmed models. Black Arrow Sale price, \$3.98. **\$3.98**

**Boys' \$3.50 Suits**  
Boys' \$3.50 Navy Blue Double Breasted Suits, with full cut Knickerbocker Pants. Sizes 8 to 16 years. Good sturdy grade for school and knockabout wear. Black Arrow Sale price, \$1.98. **\$1.98**

**10c Huck Towels**  
Hemmed Huck Towels, with fast color red border, generous size. Sold regularly at 10c each. Black Arrow Sale price, 5c. **5c**

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For one day prices are lowered to a point never before reached. In every instance your savings are greater than ever offered since we started this underselling event.

We cannot fill mail or phone orders for any bargains advertised in this sale.

**\$8.00 Mattress**  
Tomorrow we shall take your order for Elastic Felt Mattresses, all sizes from 3 ft. 6 to 4 ft. 6. One and two piece styles. Roll or tape-bound edges; covered with heavy-weight art ticking, in pink, blue and tan. Regular price, \$8. Black Arrow Sale price, \$4.95. **\$4.95**

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25 gross of Brass Extension Rods, 24 to 42 inches. Complete with brackets. Sold regularly at 5c each. Black Arrow Sale price, 2c. **2c**

**75c Couch Covers**  
200 Oriental Stripe Tapestry Couch Covers, 40 inches wide and 24 yards long; fringed sides and ends. Sold regularly at 75c each. Black Arrow Sale price, 39c. **39c**

**39c Blankets**  
Crib Blankets, soft fleece finish; white, with pink and blue borders; crocheted edges. Regular price, 39c. Black Arrow Sale price, 19c. **19c**

**Shopper's Snack**  
Tomorrow for 11c. We will serve the following "snack" from 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. tomorrow: Sandwich—Choice of ham, tongue or cheese. Drip Coffee or Hot Chocolate. Ice Cream and Cake. **11c**

**Lead Pencils**  
Good Quality Cedar Lead Pencils with rubber tips. Sold regularly at 1c each. Black Arrow Sale price, 5c. **5c**

**Sheet Music**  
The Well Known "Beaux Arts" Edition of Classical Music; choice of over a hundred titles. Regular price, 10c copy. Black Arrow Sale price, 2 1/2c. **2 1/2c**

**Carpet Brooms**  
Special lot of 30 dozen Three-string Carpet Brooms, offered to-morrow as a special Black Arrow Sale. Each broom has a leather feature at each end. (None delivered). **10c**

**\$1 Alarm Clocks**  
Nickel-plated Alarm Clocks, with brass movement; each one warranted to keep time. Worth \$1.00. Black Arrow Sale price, 49c. **49c**

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